RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 2112

Docket No.: 1793.1078

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Ki-Hyun KIM et al.

Application No. 10/717,919

Group Art Unit: 2112

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METHOD FOR ERROR CORRECTION

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: BOX AF

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed July 31, 2008, and having a period for response set to expire on October 31, 2008.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.